

VIRGINIA STANDARDS OF LEARNING ASSESSMENTS

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SELECTED ITEMS FOR GRADE 3 HISTORY

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DIRECTIONS

Read each question and choose the best answer.

STORE DIRECTORY	
Sporting Goods.....	1st floor
Clothes.....	2nd floor
Electronics.....	3rd floor
Jewelry.....	4th floor
Toys.....	5th floor

- 1 According to the directory, which floor has goods that are part of people's basic needs?
- A 2nd
B 3rd
C 4th
D 5th
- 2 When people say the Pledge of Allegiance, they promise to be loyal to the United States and to the —
- F President
G school
H Congress
J flag

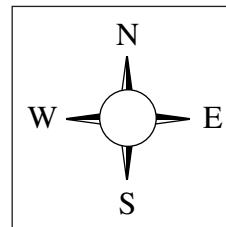
- 3 When Mr. Lunden bought a new car for his family, he was a —

A seller
B producer
C consumer
D distributor

- 4 Which country supported Christopher Columbus' exploration of the Americas?

F France
G Spain
H England
J Germany

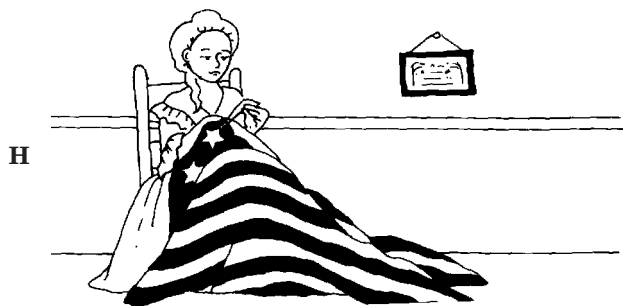
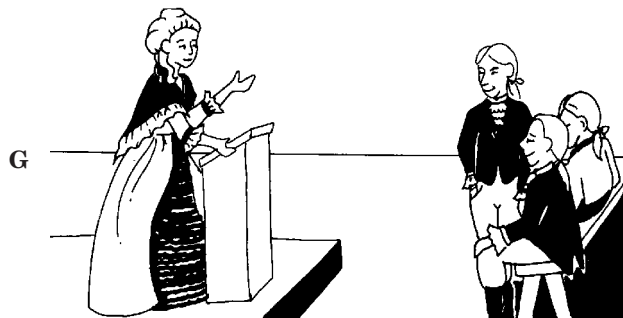
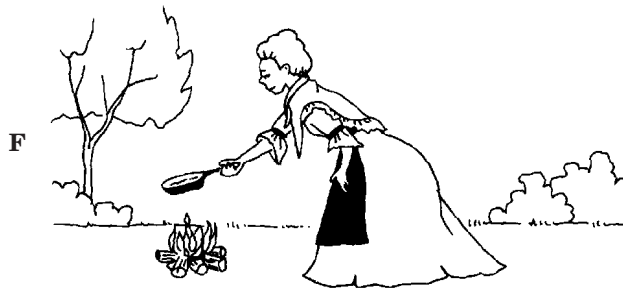
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On a map, the symbol shows —

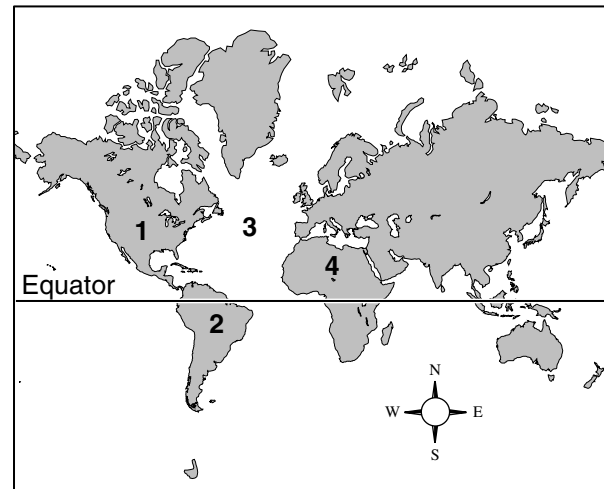
A direction
B scale
C distance
D boundaries

6 Which picture shows what Betsy Ross was known for?



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The World



On the map, South America is labeled number —

- A 1
- B 2
- C 3
- D 4

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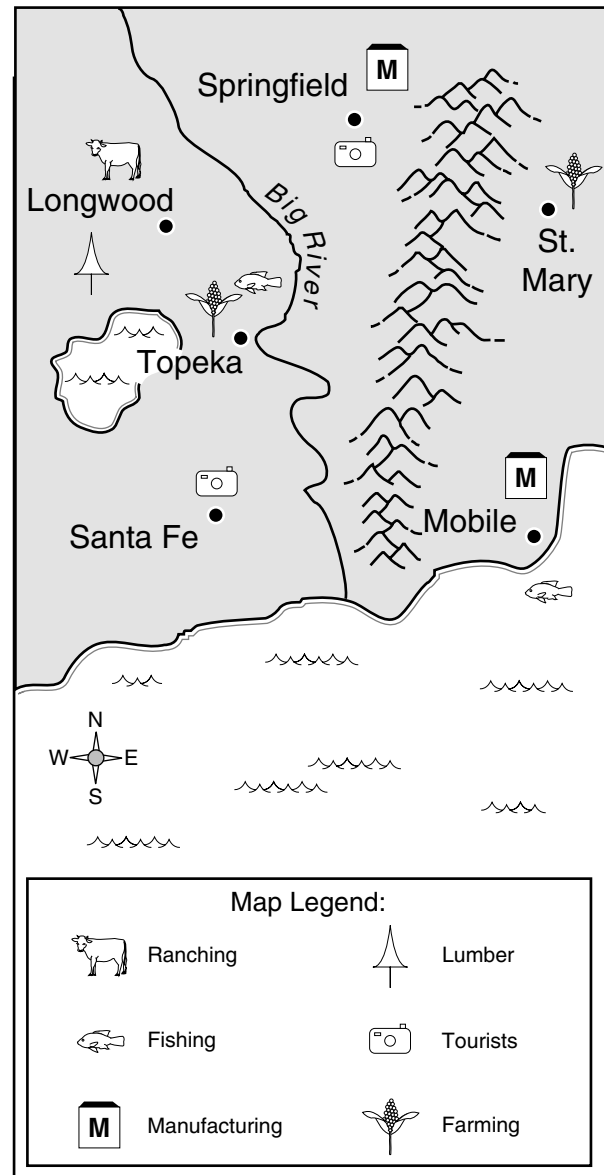


Which map represents Virginia?

- F 1
- G 2
- H 3
- J 4

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Cities Near the Big River



Topeka and St. Mary are the same because they both have —

- A a lumber industry
- B good fishing
- C a farming industry
- D nearby mountains

10 Benjamin Franklin was famous for —

- F proving electricity could be found in lightning
- G teaching people how to grow potatoes
- H showing how to make automobiles work better
- J discovering a way to make computers

Answer Key

Test Sequence	Correct Answer
1	A
2	J
3	C
4	G
5	A
6	H
7	B
8	G
9	C
10	F

